



29 January 2021

Our Residents and Representatives
Linsell Lodge Aged Care Centre
The Salvation Army Aged Care

RE: A NEW AGED CARE FACILITIES DIRECTION FOR SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Dear All,

We are writing to advise you that the South Australian Government has updated their Direction for residential aged care centres in South Australia. Emergency Management (Residential Aged Care Facilities No 23) (COVID-19) Direction 2020 came into effect at 12:01am on 26 January 2021 and it revokes the Emergency Management (Residential Aged Care Facilities No 22) (COVID-19) Direction 2021.

Based on this Direction, your Centre will remain at Risk Level 3 on our internal Risk Assessment Matrix.

Please see the following information as extracted from the Direction with a link to the Direction for your reference below:

- Clause 5 (1) (a) – A person who has travelled from any place other than a low community transmission zone in the last 14 days is not permitted to enter RACF [Residential Aged Care Facility] (prohibited areas of travel include Greater Sydney, NSW Central Coast Council LGA, Wollongong City council LGA)
- Clause 5 (1) (b) – A person must not enter RACF if they travelled New Zealand at any time between 14/1/21 – 26/1/21 unless they have prior approval from SA Health and the facility

<https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/emergency-declarations/aged-care>

Thank you for your continued support and understanding at this time. Should you have any questions, please get in touch with your Centre Manager.

Kind regards,

Samantha Jukes
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The Salvation Army Aged Care